

Revised: August 28, 2006

**TENTATIVE AGENDA
for the
FOURTH MEETING
of the
INDIAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

**August 30 - September 1, 2006
Newcomb Chapter, Navajo Nation
Red Valley Chapter, Navajo Nation
Hogback Chapter, Navajo Nation**

Wednesday, August 30 — Chapter House, Newcomb Chapter, Navajo Nation

10:00 a.m. **Call to Order**

10:05 a.m. **Newcomb Chapter, Navajo Nation — Welcome and Status Update**
—Thomas Joe Yazzie, President
—Willamena Smith, Vice President
—Edward V. Jim, Sr., Council Delegate

11:00 a.m. **Certification of Navajo Nation Chapters**
—Herb Clah, Director, Shiprock Local Government Support Center
—Ryan Claw, Auditor General, Navajo Nation
—Mark Maryboy, Chair, Transportation and Community Development
Committee, Navajo Nation Council (Invited)

12:00 noon **Lunch**

1:00 p.m. **Desert Rock Power Plant — Status Update**
—Freddy Sanches, Vice President, Sithe Global Power, LLC

2:30 p.m. **Central Consolidated School District — Status Update**
—Representatives, Central Consolidated School District
—Larry Emerson, Chair, Indian Education Advisory Committee

3:30 p.m. **Navajo Language Academy**
—Ellevina Perkins, Chair
—Irene Silentman, Committee Member

4:00 p.m. **Recess**

Thursday, August 31 — Chapter House, Red Valley Chapter, Navajo Nation

- 9:00 a.m. **Red Valley Chapter, Navajo Nation — Welcome and Status Update**
—Phillip Harrison, Jr., President
—Ella Frazier, Vice President
—Willie W. Johnson, Sr., Council Delegate
- 10:30 a.m. **Rural Roads on the Navajo Nation — Status Update**
—Larry Maynard, District Engineer, District 6, Department of Transportation
—John McElroy, District Engineer, District 5, Department of Transportation
—Tom Platero, Director, Navajo Nation Department of Transportation (Invited)
—Irvin Bekis, Manager, Navajo Region Office, BIA Department of Transportation (Invited)
- 12:00 noon **Lunch**
- 1:00 p.m. **Borderline Chapters of the Navajo Nation**
—Lorraine Wauneka-Nelson, President, Fort Defiance Chapter, Navajo Nation
—Anselm Bitsoi, President, Mexican Springs Chapter, Navajo Nation
—Phillip Harrison, Jr., President, Red Valley Chapter, Navajo Nation
—Rodger D. Joe, President, Teecnospos Chapter, Navajo Nation (Invited)
—Stanley Yazzie, Division Deputy Director, Division of Community Development, Navajo Nation
- 2:30 p.m. **Tribal Infrastructure Fund**
—Everett Chavez, Member, Tribal Infrastructure Board
—Teresa C. Gomez, Deputy Secretary of Indian Affairs
- 4:00 p.m. **Recess**

Friday, September 1 — Chapter House, Hogback Chapter, Navajo Nation

- 9:00 a.m. **Hogback Chapter, Navajo Nation — Welcome and Status Update**
—Charlie Jones, Jr., President
—Frankie Funston, Vice President
—Ervin M. Keeswood, Sr., Council Delegate
- 10:00 a.m. **Civil Rights Issues — Farmington**
—Sampson Cowboy, Division Director, Public Safety Division, Navajo Nation
—Jim Benally, Chief of Police, Navajo Nation
—Bob Melton, Sheriff, San Juan County
—Duane H. Yazzie, President, Shiprock Chapter, Navajo Nation (Invited)
- 12:00 noon **Lunch**
- 1:00 p.m. **Adjourn**